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To the Author of the WEEKLY REGISTER.

SIR,

SOME Time ago, you entertain'd the Town with a *Review of the Publick Buildings*, &c. of theſe Cities, and Sir *William Davenant* having long ſince written a ſhort Eſſay, ſomewhat a-kin to it, by way of Compariſon between *London* and *Paris*, I imagine his Reflections will not be ungrateful to your Readers: The Method he has choſen is Declamation, and a Native of each City is ſuppoſ'd the Speaker, the *Pariſian* reflecting on *London*, the *Londoner* on *Paris*.

I am, SIR, Yours, &c.

The Pariſian.

YOU of this noble City, are yet to become more noble by your Candour to the Plea, between me a *Burgois* of *Paris*, and my Opponent of *London*: Being concern'd in Honour to lend your Attention as favourably to a Stranger as to your native Orator. Since 'tis the greateſt Sign of narrow Education to permit the Borders of Rivers, or Strands of Seas, to ſeparate the general Conſanguinity of Mankind: Tho' the unquiet Nature of Man (ſtill hoping to ſhake off diſtant Power, and the Incapacity of any one to ſway univerſal Empire) hath made them the Bounds to divide Government. But already I think it neceſſary to ceaſe perſuading you who will ever deſerve to be my Judges, and therefore mean to apply myſelf in admoniſhing him who is pleas'd to be a while my Adverſary.

My moſt opiniater'd Antagoniſt (for a *Londoner*'s Opinion of himſelf is no leſs noted than his Opinion of his Beef before the Veal of *Italy*) you ſhould know that the Merit of Cities conſiſts not in their fair and fruitful Situation, but in the Manners of the Inhabitants; for where the Situation excels, it but upbraids their Minds if they be not proportionable to it. And, becauſe we ſhould more except againſt the Conſtancy of Minds than their Mutability, when they incline to Error; I will firſt take a Survey of yours in the long-contin'd Deformity of the Shape of your City, which is of your Buildings.

Sure your Anceſtors contriv'd your narrow Streets on the Days of Wheel-barrows, before thoſe greater Engines, Carts were invented: Is your Climate ſo hot, that as you walk you need Umbrella's of Tiles to intercept the Sun? Or are your Shambles ſo empty, that you are afraid to take in freſh Air, leſt it ſhould ſharpen your Stomachs? Oh, the goodly Landſkip of *Old Fiſh Street!* which had it not had the ill Luck to be crooked, was narrow enough to have been your Founder's Perſpective: And where the Garrets (perhaps not for want of Architecture, but, thro' abundance of Amity) are ſo made, that oppoſite Neighbours may ſhake Hands without ſtirring from home. Is Unanimity of Inhabitants in wiſe Cities better expreſs'd, than by their Coherence and Uniformity of Building? Where Streets begin, continue, and end in a like Stature and Shape: But yours (as if they were rais'd in a general Inſurrection, where every Man hath a ſeveral Deſign, differ in all Things that can make Diſtinction. Here ſtands one that aims to be a Palace, and next it, another that profeſſes to be a Hovel. Here a Giant, there a Dwarf; here ſlender, there broad; and all moſt admirably different in their Faces, as well as in their Height and Bulk. I was about to defy any *Londoner*, who dares pretend there is ſo much ingenious Correſpondence in this City, as that he can ſhew me one Houſe like another. Yet your old Houſes ſeem to be reverend and formal, being compar'd to the fantaſtical Books of the Modern; which have more Ovals, Niches, and Angles, than are in your Cuſtards; and are encloſ'd with Paſtboard Walls, like thoſe of malicious *Turks*, who, becauſe themſelves are not immortal, and cannot ever dwell where they build, therefore will not be at the Charge to provide ſuch Laſtingneſs as may entertain their Children out of the Rain; ſo ſlight and ſo prettily gaudy, that if they could move, they would paſs for Pageants. 'Tis your Cuſtom, where Men vary often the Mode of their Habits, to term the Nation fantaſtical; but where Streets continually change Faſhion, you ſhould make Haſte to chain up the City; for 'tis certainly mad.

You would think me a malicious Traveller, if I ſhould ſtill gaze on your miſhapen Streets, and take no Notice of the Beauty of your River; therefore I will paſs the importunate Noiſe of your Watermen (who ſnatch at Fares as if they were to catch Priſoners, plying the Gentry ſo uncivilly, as if they had never row'd any other Paſſengers but Bear-wards) and now ſtep into one of your Peſcod-Boats, whoſe Tilts are not ſo ſumptuous as the Roofs of Gundaloes, nor, when you are within, are you at the Eaſe of *Chaiſe a bras*. The Commodity and Trade of your River belongs to yourſelves; but give a Stranger Leave to ſhare in the Pleaſure of it, which will hardly be in the Proſpect or Freedom of Air; unleſs Proſpect, conſiſting of Variety, be made with here a Palace, there a Wood-Yard, here a Garden, there a Brew-houſe: Here dwells a Lord, there a Dyer, and between both *Duomo Comune*. If Freedom of Air be inferr'd in the Liberty of the Subject, where every private Man hath Authority, for his own Profit, to ſmoak up a Magiſtrate; then the Air of your *Thames* is open enough, becauſe it is equally free. I will forbear to viſit your courtly Neighbours at *Wapping*, not that it will make me giddy to ſhoot your Bridge, but that I am loth to diſturb the civil Silence of *Billingſgate*, which is ſo great as if the Mariners were always landing to ſtorm the Harbour, therefore for Brevity's Sake, I will put to Shore again, tho' I ſhould be conſtrain'd, even without my Galoſhoes, to land at *Puddle-Dock*.

I am now return'd to viſit your Houſes, where the Roofs are ſo low, that I preſume your Anceſtors were very mannerly, and ſtood bare to their Wives; for I cannot diſcern how they could wear their high-crown'd Hats; yet will I enter, and therein oblige you much, when you know my Averſion to the Odour of a certain Weed that governs amongſt your courſer Acquaintance; as much as Lavender amongſt your courſer Linnen: To which, in my Apprehenſion, your Sea-coal Smoak ſeems a very *Portugal* Perfume. I ſhould here haſten to a Period, for fear of Suffocation, if I thought you ſo ungracious to uſe it in publick Aſſemblies: And yet I ſee it grow ſo much in Faſhion, that me-thinks your Children begin to play with broken Pipes, inſtead of Corals, to make Way for their Teeth. You will find my Viſit ſhort, I cannot ſtay to eat with you, becauſe your Bread is too heavy, and you diſdain the light Suſtenance of Herbs: Your Drink is ſo thick, and yet you are ſeldom over-curious in waſhing your Glaſſes. Nor will I lodge with you, becauſe your Beds ſeem, to our Alcoves, no bigger than Coffins; and your Curtains ſo ſhort, as they will hardly ſerve to incloſe your Carriers in Summer; and may be held, if Taffata, to have lin'd your Grandfires Shirts. But tho' your Houſes are thin, yet your Kitchins are well lin'd with Beef; and the plentiful Exerciſe of your Chimneys makes up that Canopy of Smoak which covers your City; whilſt we in the Continent are well contented with a clear Sky, entertain Fleſh as a Regalio; and we, your poor *French* Frogs, are fain to ſing to Salad. You boaſt that your Servants feed better than Maſters at *Paris*; and we are ſatisfy'd when ours are better taught than fed. You allow yours Idleneſs and high Nouriſhment, to raiſe their Mettle; which is to make them rude for the Honour of Old *England*, we inure ours to Labour and Temperance, that we may allay them; which is to make them civil for the Quiet of *France*. Yours drink Malt, and the ſtrong Broth of Malt which makes them bold, hot, and adventurous to be ſoon in Command. Ours are cool'd with weak Water, which doth quench their Arrogance, and makes them fit to obey long. We plant the Vineyard, and you drink the Wine; by which you beget good Spirits, and we get good Money. You keep open Houſes for all that bring you in Mirth, till your Eſtates run out of Doors, and find new Landlords. We ſhut our Gate to all but ſuch whoſe Converſation brings in Profit, and ſo by the Help of what you call Ill-Nature and Parſimony, have the good Luck to keep our Inheritances for our Iſſue. [*To be continued.*]

The KISS *repay'd. A Tale.*

AS *Roger*, with his *Jug* walking,
Smiling full blith, and gayly talking;
Sir *John*, an am'rous Knight, paſs'd by,
And chanc'd on *Jug* to caſt his Eye,
And with her native Beauty pleas'd,
The Ruſtick Huſband thus addreſs'd.
Hail honeſt Friend! why ods my Life!
You've got a wond'rous pretty Wife!
If you'll permit me one ſmall Favour,
To kiſs her once, I mean, and leave her,
When e'er you chance to meet my Dame,
You ſhall be welcome to the ſame.
Quoth *Roger*, if that's all you crave,
Your Worſhip freely has my Leave.
The Knight ſtept up without Delay,
Kiſs'd her, and walk'd content away.
Some few Days after this, in haſte
As o'er the Meadows *Roger* paſt,
His gentle Friend Sir *John* he ſpy'd,
My Lady tripping by his Side;
He bow'd, and tho' his Mouth did Water,
Paſs'd on, and mention'd not the Matter.
The Knight then ſpying him, ſays, Friend,
To Promiſes I always ſtand,
See here my Wife at your Command.
The Clown approach'd and kiſs'd the Dame,
Then fir'd with more than uſual Flame,
He went, and to himſelf thus ſaid,
Since the good Knight ſo well has paid
His Promiſe, Troth I had much rather,
He'd gone with *Jug* a little farther.

An EPIGRAM.

A Chandler's Shop being robb'd, a Neighbour
To make him eaſy thus did labour,
I'm confident, for all this Fright,
Your Candles, Sir, muſt come to Light.

SATURDAY, *June* 28.

YESTERDAY the Hon. Mrs. *Gordon*, a *Scottiſh* Lady, ſaid to be related to the Earl of *Perth*, and ſeveral others of the principal Nobility of *North Britain*, having lately embraced the Tenets held by the Quakers, preach'd at the *Bull and Mouth Meeting-Houſe* near *Aldersgate*, where ſeveral Ladies of Quality, Sir *John Gonſon*, and other Gentlemen of Diſtinction, were preſent to hear her. She came to Town on Occaſion of the Annual General Meeting of the People of that Perſuaſion at *Whitſuntide*, and is reckon'd one of the beſt Preachers of the Sect. Whenever ſhe holds forth, there is the greateſt Crowd that can poſſibly be imagin'd.

The ſame Day came on a Trial at *Guildhall*, before the Lord *Hardwick*, wherein a Writing-Clerk of the *Temple* was Plaintiff, and a Wholeſale Linnen-Draper in *Cornhill*, Defendant, upon an Action brought by the Plaintiff for an Aſſault, Treſpaſs, and falſe Impriſonment; when the Caſe appear'd thus; the Defendant had drawn his Sword upon the Plaintiff in the Night-time in *Fleet-ſtreet*, and afterwards charg'd him in Cuſtody of the Conſtable with aſſaulting him with an Intent to rob him, but never appear'd before the Juſtice to make good his Charge; and the Jury, after hearing Counſel on both Sides, gave a Verdict

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for the Plaintiff, with 20*l.* Damage and Coſts of Suit.

Yeſterday came on a Trial at *Guildhall* upon a Note of Hand for upwards of 100*l.* and which was endors'd by a Woman who keeps a Tavern near *Drury-Lane*, to her Wine-Merchant, and for which the latter arreſted the Perſon ſaid to have ſign'd the ſaid Note; but the Evidences for the Note faltring very much, and the Date proving to be on a Sunday, tho' one of them ſwore poſitively it was not, and the Defendant calling ſeveral reputable Witneſſes who knew his Writing, and ſwore not one Stroke of the Name was like his Hand, it was thought to be a Piece of Forgery, and the Plaintiff ſuffer'd a Nonſuit.

The ſame Day came on in the Court of *Exchequer*, before the Lord Chief Baron *Reynolds*, a great Cauſe, wherein Sir *Archibald Grant* was Plaintiff, and Sir *William Gordon* and his eldeſt Son, Defendants, for 6969*l.* 3*s.* 3*d.* on a Contract; when after a Trial which laſted ſeveral Hours, the Jury found a Verdict for the Defendants.

Yeſterday Morning arriv'd at the *Eaſt-India* Houſe, the Purſers of the *Grafton*, Capt. *Hudſon*, and the *Harriſon*, Capt. *Martin*, from *China*, both of whom ſail'd from the *Downs* *January* 5, 1733, and the Purſer of the *Drake*, Capt. *Pelly*, from *Bengal*, who ſail'd from the *Downs* the 22d of *February*, the ſame Year, all which Ships arriv'd ſafe off *Dover* on Thurſday laſt; the *China* Ships left *China* the 31ſt of *December*, the *Bengal* Ship left *Bengal* the 16th of *January*, and all arriv'd at St. *Helena* the 19th of *April*. The *Drake* brings an Account, that the *Ockham*, Capt. *Jobſon*, took Fire in *Bengal* Road the 29th of *November* laſt, it begun in her Gun-Room; ſhe had taken in all her *Bengal* Lading, and was to ſail in two or three Days for *Madraſs*; 600 Bales of her Cargo were ſav'd before the *Drake* came away; and the Ship being ſunk, it was thought that the reſt would be ſav'd likewiſe. The Company belonging to the *Shalem*, which was burnt near *Vizacuputama*, as we formerly mentioned, conſiſted of 130 Souls, 60 whereof were ſav'd, amongſt whom were Mr. *Gumley* and his Lady, Mr. *Nesbitt*, the Captain and Supercargoes; the reſt periſh'd. Capt. *Pelly*, of the *Drake*, in his Paſſage home, took up, 100 Leagues at Sea, a Boat with nine Men and a Woman, ſuppos'd to be *Africans*, almoſt ſtarv'd.

Death. Laſt Sunday died at the *Bath*, Lieutenant-Colonel *James Eberſon*.

MONDAY, *June* 30.

On Saturday laſt came on a Trial at the Court of *King's-Bench*, *Weſtminſter*, before the Lord *Hardwicke*, wherein *Orlando Humfreys*, Eſq; was Plaintiff, and his Father Sir *William Humfreys*, Bart. Defendant, in an Action of 20,000*l.* upon a Bond enter'd into by the Defendant for Payment of 10,000*l.* and Intereſt, unto his ſaid Son; and upon full Evidence a Verdict was given for the Plaintiff.

Laſt Friday her Majeſty ſent her Compliments of Condolance to the Lady Viſcounteſs *Howe*, newly arriv'd from *Barbadoes*.

The Aſſembly at *Barbadoes* paſs'd an Act, juſt after Lord *Howe*'s Death, ordering the Sum of 2500*l.* (*Barbadoes* Money) to be paid to his Lady, to defray her Expences, *&c.* there, and over to *England*.

On Saturday Night Dr. *Barnard*, one of the Fellows of the Royal Society, was knock'd down by three Rogues in *Thrift-ſtreet*, *Soho*, and robb'd of a Gold Watch: The Doctor ſtabb'd one of them in the Belly in ſuch a Manner, that it's believ'd he can't poſſibly recover, but the other two carried him off.

Yeſterday Morning about Seven o'Clock, a Servant of Mr. *Brown* of *Hammerſmith*, paſſing thro' *Hyde-Park*, was robb'd by a Foot-pad of eight Guineas, which he had in his Pocket of his Maſter's.

The ſame Night, about Nine o'Clock, two Sharpers came into the *Hoop* Tavern in the *Strand*, and found Means to carry off two Silver Tankards, the one holding near three Quarts, and the other three Pints, and were valued at about 30*l.* and made off undiſcover'd.

On Saturday Night *William Byron* was committed to *Newgate* by Juſtice *Midford*, for ſtealing ſix Pair of Stockings out of a Hoſier's Shop in the *Strand*: This is the Perſon who was try'd ſome Time ago for robbing the Houſe of Sir *Fiſher Tench*, Bart. and was likewiſe try'd the laſt Seſſions and acquitted for entering the Houſe of a Gentleman in the City, being found upon the Pavement at the Door, and was ſuppos'd to have jump'd out of the one Pair of Stairs Window.

Circuits appointed by his Majeſty's Juſtices of the Grand Seſſions for the following Counties in *Wales*.

The Hon. John Verney, Eſq; Richard Pottenger, Eſq;
Montgomeryſhire, Saturday Auguſt 2, at Pool.
Denbighſhire, Friday Auguſt 8, at Wrexham.
Flint, Thurſday Auguſt 14, at Flint.
Cheſter, Wedneſday Auguſt 20, at Cheſter.
The Hon. John Trevor, Eſq; William Beeſton, Eſq;
Cardiganſhire, Saturday July 26, at Cardigan.
Pembrokeſhire, Friday Auguſt 1, at Haverfordweſt.
Carmarthen, Thurſday Auguſt 7, at Carmarthen.
Richard Carter, Eſq; Henry Proctor, Eſq;
Glamorganſhire, Wedneſday July 23, at Cardiff.
Breconſhire, Tueſday July 29, at Brecon.
Radnorſhire, Monday Auguſt 4, at Preſteign.

Whitehall, *June* 28. Her Majeſty has been pleas'd to direct Letters Patent to paſs the Great Seal of *Great Britain*, containing a Grant unto *William Kent*, Eſq; of the Office of his Majeſty's Maſter Maſon of all his Majeſty's Works, in the room of *Nicholas Dubois*, Gent. lately deceas'd.——Her Majeſty has alſo been pleas'd to direct Letters Patent to paſs the Great Seal of *Great Britain*, containing a Grant unto *Weſtby Gill*, Eſq; of the Office of Maſter Carpenter of all his Majeſty's Works and Buildings in *England*, in the room of *William Kent*, Eſq;

Marriage. On Saturday Mr. *Knollys*, a very conſiderable Druggiſt in *Fleet-ſtreet*, only Brother to *Francis Knollys*, Eſq; Member in the laſt Parliament for the City of *Oxford*, was married to Mrs. *Salway*, of *Woodford* in *Eſſex*, a Lady of 5000*l.* Fortune.

Deaths. Laſt Saturday Night died at *Greenwich*, the Lady of Sir *Charles Hardy*, Knt. Commander of the Royal *Carolina* Yacht.—— Laſt Friday died at *Deptford*, Capt. *Pomroy*, Commander of his Majeſty's Yacht the *Katherine*.

Bankrupts. *Samuel Newcombe*, Jun. late of *Oakhampton*, *Devon*, but ſince of *Auſtle*, *Cornwall*, Malſter.——*Thomas Brignall*, late of St. *Ives*, *Huntingdon*, Apothecary. —— *Richard Elliſon*, late of *Hounſditch*, *London*, Mercer, and ſince of *Radcliff-Highway*, *Middleſex*, Mercer and Chapman.——*Jeremiah Godfrey*, late of *Aſhwell*, *Hertford*, Mealman and Chapman.——*James Myatt*, of St. *Paul*, *Covent-Garden*, *Middleſex*, Taylor and Chapman.

TUESDAY, *July* 1.

Yeſterday came on, in the Court of *Common-Pleas* at *Weſtminſter*, before the Lord Chief Juſtice *Eyre*, the Hearing of the Cauſe againſt Mr. *Edwards* of *Old-ſtreet*, upon the Statute of 5 *Eliz.* for exerciſing the Trade of a Tallow-Chandler, not having ſerv'd an Apprenticeſhip to it; but the Defendant proving that he had formerly work'd at the ſaid Trade for 13 Years with his Father in the Country, and the Statute ſeeming only to require that a Perſon ſhould follow or exerciſe ſuch a Trade for 7 Years unmoleſted, the Plaintiff was nonſuited.

Nothing can equal the Joy the *Portugueze* have expreſs'd ſince the Arrival of our Fleet at *Lisbon*: His *Portugueze* Majeſty has in a particular Manner diſtinguiſh'd himſelf, and has order'd 100 Oxen, 400 Sheep, 400 Geeſe, 400 Turkeys, 1000 Fowls, 50 Boxes of Sweetmeats, 100,000 Oranges and Lemons, 80 Pipes of Wine, and 1000 Baskets of Greens, to be deliver'd every Week for the Uſe of the Fleet.

Sir *John Norris*, upon his Return from *Liſbon*, is to be created a Viſcount and Baron of *Great Britain*.

Laſt Thurſday *Peter Delme*, Eſq; Member of Parliament for the Borough of *Ludgerſhall*, ſet out for the *Imperial* Army on the *Rhine*, to make a Campaign under Prince *Eugene*.

On Sunday Morning laſt Mr. *Thomas Woodford*, a Youth of 16 Years of Age, and Heir to an Eſtate of 200*l.* *per Annum*, as he was waſhing himſelf in the *Thames* at *Fulham*, was drowned; and tho' there were with him two School-Fellows, they were ſo frightned, that they could not help him.

A few Days ago the new Alms-Houſes, left by Mr. *Bancroft* for 24 old Men, were begun at *Mile-End*, in the Field where the Fair uſed to be kept: There are to be, beſides the 24 Houſes, a convenient Chapel, a School-Room for 100 poor Boys, two Dwelling-Houſes for two Maſters, and ſuch other Out-Buildings as the Maſter and Wardens of the *Drapers* Company judge neceſſary; for the Building of which Mr. *Bancroft* left 4 or 5000*l.* as they ſhould think proper: No Children are to be taken in under the Age of ſeven Years, nor above Ten, or to be continued in the ſaid School after the Age of Fifteen; they are to be taught to read, write, caſt Accompts, and inſtructed in the Religion of the Church of *England* as by Law eſtabliſhed; the aforeſaid School-Maſters are to read Prayers Morning and Evening every Day alternately to the old Men and Boys, for which they are to be allow'd 30*l.* *per Annum*, and 20*l.* *per Annum* for Coals and Candles; the old Men are to have 8*l.* *per Annum* each for their Maintenance, half a Chaldron of Coals, and a Bays Gown every third Year: And when the Children are 15 Years of Age, they are to have 50*s.* each to buy them Cloathes to fit them for Service, or 4*l.* to put them out Apprentices. Two Sermons are to be annually preach'd on a Sunday in the Forenoon for ever, in Commemoration of this Charity, one in the Pariſh-Church of St. *Helen's*, where Mr. *Bancroft* was interred, and the other in the Pariſh-Church of St. *Michael's*, *Cornhill*, or elſewhere, as the Maſter and Wardens of the *Drapers* Company ſhall think proper, the Miniſters to have 20*s.* each for preaching, the Readers 10*s.* and the Clerk and Sexton 2*s.* 6*d.* The Boys are to be cloath'd yearly with Blue Coats, Caps, Stockings, Shoes and Linnen; and for this Uſe Mr. *Bancroft* left 28,000*l.* after ſome ſmall Legacies were paid.

Preferments. The Earl of *Middleſex*, Member for *Eaſt Grinſted*, and eldeſt Son to his Grace the Duke of *Dorſet*, is made a Gentleman of the Bed-Chamber to his Royal Highneſs the Prince of *Wales*.——Her Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint the Rev. Mr. *William Campbell*, to be Chaplain to the Garriſon at *Sterling-Caſtle*.

Death. Yeſterday died *William Boddington*, Eſq; Surveyor of his Majeſty's Foreſts in *Hampſhire*.——On Sunday died, at his Houſe in *Eaſt-ſtreet*, *Peter Newman*, of *Cheſhire*, Eſq; In Queen *Anne*'s Reign he was employed in different Commiſſions to ſome of the Courts of *Germany*: He died a Batchelor, aged 94, and his Eſtate of 1500*l.* *per Annum* devolves to Mr. *James Thruſh*, of the ſame County, and his near Relation.

WEDNESDAY, *July* 2.

Yeſterday came on at *Hicks's-Hall* the Trial of one *Andrew Clarke*, for trepanning Men (under a Pretence of hiring them to work upon a Canal and Fiſh-Pond at *Faulkenſtone* in *Kent*) and afterwards tranſporting and forcing them to ſerve as Soldiers in the *Iriſh* Regiments in the Service of *France*; and after a Trial of about two Hours, the Facts being plainly proved, the Jury found him Guilty, and the Court ſentenc'd him a Year's Impriſonment in *Newgate*, to pay a Fine of 5*l.* and to find Sureties for his good Behaviour for two Years.

On Sunday laſt the Curate of *Sunning-Hill* in *Berks*, was apprehended and committed to *Reading* Gaol, for killing one of his Majeſty's Fallow Deer in *Windſor Great Park*, and will be tried for the ſame at the next Aſſizes for that County.

Yeſterday came on in the Court of *King's-Bench*, *Weſtminſter*, the Trial of the late Valet de Chambre to a certain noble Lord, on an Indictment for clandeſtinely marrying an Heireſs, Niece to his Lordſhip; when it appeared, that the ſaid Valet de Chambre did entice the young Lady away from her Mother's Houſe, near *Soho-Square*, on the 22d of *December* laſt, at the Age of 14, without the Conſent, Privity, or Knowledge of her Parents or Guardians, and contrary to ſeveral Acts of Parliament made and provided in that Caſe; and it being prov'd that he carried her to a *Romiſh* Chapel, where they were married in private, after a very long Trial the Jury brought him *in* Guilty; and on the firſt Day of next Term the Court will pronounce Sentence upon him. The Penalties are five Years Impriſonment, and the Heireſs's Eſtate to go to the next Kin, for her Life.

The ſame Day came on a Cauſe in the ſaid Court, wherein *Julian Brown* was Plaintiff, and *John Marſhal* and *Mary* his Wife, Defendants, on an Action brought by the Plaintiff for ſcandalous and defamatory Words ſpoke by the Wife of the Defendant, to which he laid the Damage of 200*l.* and after examining ſeveral Witneſſes, the Jury gave a Verdict for the Plaintiff, as to ſome of the Words ſpoken, and Four-pence Damage.

Laſt Monday three Horſes, two of them belonging to a Farmer in the Neighbourhood, were found dead on the Road, between *Hampſtead-Hill* and the Town; having been all of them ſtabb'd in the Belly, by ſome malicious Villains, and bled inwardly till they died.

An Attorney at *Cheſter* is taken into Cuſtody there, for ſelling ſome Counterfeit Stamp Paper; the Perſons that counterfeit Stamps, it ſeems, had Riders to go about the Country, to put off their Counterfeit Stamp Paper in the ſeveral great Towns, *&c.*

Marriage. Laſt Week Mr. *Van Trip*, Son of a very rich Burgomaſter of *Holland*, deceas'd, was married in this City to the Lady *Catherine Grey*, ſecond Daughter of the Right Hon. the Earl of *Stamford*.

THURSDAY, *July* 3.

Yeſterday the Seſſions began at the *Old Bailey*, when 20 Priſoners were try'd, one whereof was capitally convicted, *viz. John Wilſon*, for aſſaulting *Mary Harriſon* on the Highway, and taking from her a Pocket, a Pair of Gloves, two Thimbles, and one Shilling in Money; 14 were caſt for Tranſportation, and five acquitted.

John Boſwell, a Guinea-Dropper, was tried for cheating and running away with a Silver Watch, the Property of *Henry Sweetenham*, on the 19th of *May* laſt. It appear'd, that as *Sweetenham* was going along St. *Paul's Church-Yard*, he pick'd up a Shilling; whereupon *Boſwell* and another cried, Halves, and ſaid that they would ſpend the Shilling; to which *Sweetenham* agreeing, they went to the *Black Spread-Eagle* in *Pater-Noſter-Row*. When they were in the Room they ſaw a Pack of Cards on the Mantle-piece, which *Sweetenham* cut, and loſt three Shillings; then he cut again for two Guineas, and laid down his Watch on the Table as a Stake; but loſing, he ſaid that he would not cut any more. The Priſoner ſaid, if he would not, he had a Stake in it, and ſnatch'd the Watch up, and run away with it, while the other Sharper held him. The Jury brought him in Guilty to the Value of 39*s.*

Yeſterday Morning a Cauſe was try'd in the Court of *Common-Pleas*, *Weſtminſter*, before the Lord Chief Juſtice *Eyre*, wherein *James Collier*, who ſued as well for himſelf as for the King, was Plaintiff, againſt *John Prou* of the *Butcher-Row*, Watchmaker, Defendant, upon the Statute of the 5th of Queen *Eliz.* for exerciſing the Trade of a Tallow-Chandler, not having ſerv'd an Apprenticeſhip thereto: The Caſe was thus: The Defendant upwards of ſix Years ago married the Widow of one *James Scott*, a regular bred Tallow-Chandler, who during the 11 Years of her Marriage with the ſaid *Scott* had aſſiſted him in carrying on the Trade, and moſt Part of that Time had almoſt the ſole Management of the Shop Buſineſs, and after his Death continued to carry it on; it alſo appear'd that her Grandfather, Father, and (after his Death) her Mother, carried on the ſaid Trade in the ſame Shop, till her Marriage with Mr. *Scott*, who then receiv'd the Buſineſs as Part of her Fortune; it likewiſe appear'd that ſhe was a skilful Woman, and a fair Trader: Whereupon the Plaintiff, after many learned Arguments of Counſel on both Sides, ſuffer'd a Nonſuit.

Preferment. The Rev. Mr. *Gilbert*, of *Trinity-Hall*, *Cambridge*, is preſented to the Living of *Flamingham* in *Suffolk*.

FRIDAY, *July* 4.

Yeſterday 14 Priſoners were tried at the *Old Bailey*, three whereof were capitally convicted, *viz. Robert Morpeth* and *Robert Kiffe*, for robbing Mr. *Stamper* on the Highway near *Kingsland*, of two Guineas, a Silver Watch, and a Pair of Silver Buckles; and *Edward Ormsby*, for ſtealing a Silver Tankard out of the Houſe of *Richard Lilly:* Six were caſt for Tranſportation, and five acquitted; among which was *Maccray* the Attorney, for robbing Dr. *Lancaſter* and Mr. *Clarke* near *Fulham*; *Witneſſes ſwearing he was at another Place when the Robbery was committed.*

The Orders of the Court of Lord Mayor and Aldermen touching the Regulation of the condemn'd Priſoners before their Execution, having been imperfectly printed, we hope the following genuine Abſtract of them will not be unacceptable to our Readers.

Abſtract of the Rules and Orders made by the Court of Lord Mayor and Aldermen for the better Regulation of the Gaol of Newgate, *and ſafe Keeping of the Priſoners while they are under Condemnation. Dated Tueſday,* June 17, 1735, *in the Mayoralty of Sir* Edward Bellamy.

I. THAT the Keeper of *Newgate* ſhall not henceforwards put any Priſoner into the Cells before Sentence of Death is paſs'd upon him, and only one Perſon into a Cell, except the Priſoner has committed any enormous Crime, or made an Attempt to break the Gaol, and then not without the Conſent of the Lord Mayor or Sheriffs of this City for the Time being.

II. That after Sentence of Death the Priſoner ſhall be immediately confin'd in one of the Cells until the Time of his Execution, during which Time he ſhall have no other Food or Suſtenance but Bread and Water, on any Pretence whatſoever, unleſs by particular Order and Direction of the Lord Mayor or one of the Sheriffs for the Time being.

III. That any Clergyman of known Reputation ſhall have Liberty to viſit the Priſoners in the Cells, and ſtay as long as he thinks convenient, and to be let out at his Pleaſure, without paying any Thing for the ſame.

IV. No Perſon ſhall be permitted to carry any Food or Nourihment to any Priſoner under Sentence of Death, nor ſhall any ſuch Priſoner be viſited by above one Friend at a Time, nor ſuch Friend to ſtay above an Hour at any one Time.

V. That no Perſon whatſoever ſhall be permitted to viſit any Priſoner out of Curioſity only, while under Sentence of Death; nor ſhall the Keeper, or any of his Turnkeys or Servants, take any Money of any Perſon, under Pretence of ſuffering them to viſit ſuch Priſoners.

VI. No Perſon whatſoever ſhall be admitted into the Preſs-Yard on a Sunday, or any other Day, during the Time the condemn'd Priſoners are going to and from Chapel; nor ſhall any Perſon be admitted into the Chapel on a Sunday or other Day, at Divine Service, from the Time of the Priſoners receiving Sentence of Death to their Execution, on any Pretence whatſoever.

VII. No Priſoners, as aforeſaid, ſhall on any Pretence whatever be admitted to go out of their Cells, except to and from the Chapel, nor ſhall any ſuch Priſoners ſtop in the Preſs-Yard, or any Part of the Gaol, in their ſaid Paſſage to and from the Chapel.

VIII. The Cells ſhall be lock'd up every Night at Five o'Clock from *Michaelmas* to *Lady-Day*, and at Eight from *Lady-Day* to *Michaelmas*; and after thoſe Hours no Perſon ſhall be permitted to ſee any Priſoners therein.

IX. That after every Execution (as ſoon as may be) the Keeper ſhall order the Bedding in each Cell to be air'd, and the Cells to be well clean'd.

X. That the Officers belonging to the Sheriffs of *London* and *Middleſex*, whoſe proper Buſineſs it is to attend the condemn'd Priſoners to the Place of Execution, do not on any Pretence whatſoever, permit the Priſoners in their Paſſage from *Newgate* to drink any Wine, or any other ſtrong Liquors, or to ſtop on that or any other Pretence.

Laſtly, It is order'd, That if the Keeper of *Newgate*, his Servants, or Turnkeys, or any Officer, or Officers, or other Perſon or Perſons concern'd, ſhall diſobey any of the aforemention'd Orders, he or they ſhall be diſmiſs'd from his Office and Employment; and it is further order'd, that theſe Orders be fairly engroſs'd, and hung up in ſome publick Place of the ſaid Gaol of *Newgate*, that none may plead Ignorance thereof.

Letters from *Lisbon* mention, that Sir *John Norris* had preſented to his *Portugueſe* Majeſty the ſeveral Commanders of the Ships in his Squadron, and that his Majeſty was pleaſed to admit them all to the Honour of Dining with him.——His Majeſty is to furniſh them with freſh Proviſions during their Stay, purſuant to a Convention made here before the Fleet ſail'd: He has been on board the *Britannia* to viſit Sir *John Norris*, and takes great Delight in viewing the Squadron.

Laſt Wedneſday Morning a Duel was fought on *Chelſea-Common* by two young Gentlemen of Diſtinction, but they were parted before any Miſchief enſu'd.

Marriage. Yeſterday Dr. *Fullerton*, Phyſician to *Chriſt's-Hoſpital*, was married at St. *Paul's* Cathedral to Miſs *Johnſon*, Niece to Sir *John Barnard* and Alderman *Godſchall*, a young Lady of a great Fortune.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Roverbella, June 22. N. S.

THE Field-Marshal Count *Konigsegg* being retired to the *Mantuan Castiglione*, was at the Approach of the Allied Armies obliged to decamp again in the Night between the 16th and 17th Instant, to make a further Retreat into the *Trentin:* His first March was to *Valero*, leaving some of his Troops at *Borghero*, to serve him for a Rear-Guard. Being arrived there, he ranged his Foot in the high, and his Horse in the low Grounds, the former consisting of 12,000, and the latter of 8000 Men, sending before him the Sick and Wounded, 13 Pieces of Cannon, four Mortars, several Waggons loaded with Grenades and Powder, and 400 with Baggage, to pursue their Journey to *Tyrol*. After which he resumed his March to *Villa-Franca*, and from thence to *Ursolengo* and *Campora*, passing between *Pescara* and *Castel-Nuovo*.

From the Paris A-la-main.

They write from *Italy*, that Marshal *Noailles* advanc'd as far as *Pescara*, upon the Lake *de Garda*, to observe if the Enemy halted in the *Venetian* Territories, but they march'd thro' without stopping; so that the Marshal having visited the Banks of the *Adige* to the very Gates of *Verona*, return'd to his Camp. 'Tis said their Army consists of about 15,000 Men, the Garrison of *Mantua* of no more than 3000 Regular Troops and 1500 Militia, and that they are already in want of Wood and other Necessaries.

Leghorn, June 18. N. S. By Ships lately arrived here from *Toulon*, we have Advice, that pressing Orders were come thither from the *French* Court for putting to Sea eight Men of War and two Bomb-Ketches; but whither they were to sail, was not then publickly known. From *Genoa* it is written, that the Senate of that Republick having appointed M. *Felix Pincho*, Governor of *Bastia* in *Corsica*, that Gentleman had refused to accept the said Government, unless 6500 Men be given him for the Defence of that Island, a military Chest for six Months, an uncontrolled Power in the Government, and the Assistance of some Plenipotentiary Ministers, *&c.* but it is much doubted whether his Demands will be granted.

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